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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of: John C. Hiserodt

Art Unit: 1633

Serial No.: 09/162,648

Examiner: Carrie M. Stroup, Ph.D.

Filing Date: September 29, 1998

For: CANCER IMMUNOTHERAPY USING  
ALLOSTIMULATED CELLS IN A  
MULTIPLE SEQUENTIAL  
IMPLANTATION STRATEGY

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the first Office Action on the merits, dated December 17, 1999. Concurrently filed herewith is a Petition for a three-month extension of time, along with the required fee under 37 CFR § 1.17. Upon granting of the Petition, a response is due by June 17, 1999. Accordingly, this paper is timely filed.

Applicant has given careful consideration to the analysis and remarks made by the Examiner in the Office Action. Please enter the following amendments and remarks.